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4-H Dairy Goat Families,

The American Dairy Goat Association (ADGA) is currently experiencing delays in registration. Please review the following information to make sure you are allowing enough time for registration paperwork to be processed.

Acceptance of an ADGA stamped duplicate application for registration dated on/after February 18, 2021 will be permitted for any age animal in lieu of a certificate of registration/recordation until September 15, 2021. Please review the information on the stamp duplicates below, as it must **read by ADGA and include the registration number to be accepted at the Indiana State Fair 4-H Show.**

Stamped Duplicates and animals showing up on your currently owned/ever owned list: Once the animal is registered online, you should receive an email with a pdf stamped duplicate. This will not have a received by ADGA date or a registration number. They will also not show up in your currently owned or ever owned list. There is an approximate **3-day** turnaround to receive an email with the animal's registration number if you need that and at that time it will be added to your currently owned list.

To get a stamped duplicate that says received by ADGA and has a registration number you must do the following : Once the animal is in your currently owned list, click on the registration number of the goat in question and click on the white tab labeled Reports (not the one in black). Scroll down and you will see a Stamped Duplicate button which when clicked will open up a PDF that will have the date received and their registration number.

If your herd tattoo or herdname has ever been anything different from what your current one is: If you had been given authorization in the past to use someone else's tattoo or herd name, you will need to contact Gary Moore at gmoore@adga.org to have that adjusted. There isn't a way that authorizations can be distinguished between good and bad so it has to be done manually. Also, make sure any and all accounts linked to yours (spouse, sibling, child) have their tattoo/herdname corrected too or the system could pop it back to the original authorization again.

Tips for registering with ADGA:

Register your animals in the **morning** , as there is a known delay that will push the date to a day later if the entry is received after a certain time.